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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT DATED MAY 17, 2006; AND**  
**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Commissioner:

This paper is submitted in response to the Restriction Requirement dated May 17, 2006, for which the date for response was June 17, 2006. A request for a one-month extension of time to respond is included herewith. This one-month extension will bring the due date to July 17, 2006, which is within the six-month statutory period.

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